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Yoshio Kusano *et al.*

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Art Unit: 1795

For: FUEL CELL SYSEYEM AND FUEL CELL  
AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLE

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Examiner: Stephan J. Essex

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed June 23, 2010 (Paper No. 20100618), please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.